NuMI/MINOS Power Outage Response

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Please notify the External Beams Department, the MINOS control room, and the Operations Specialist in the event of a glitch or power outage. If at any point in this procedure something does not work, call the appropriate personnel for assistance.

1. Contact Personnel as necessary:

**DUE TO TRITITUM ABATEMENT ISSUES, SOMEONE MUST ALWAYS BE CONTACTED IN THE EVENT OF A NUMI GLITCH or POWER OUTAGE!

- Mike Andrews
- o External Beams NuMI Experts Jim Hylen
- o External Beams Department Head Craig Moore
- o External Beams NuMI Experts Sam Childress
- o Deputy Department Head Peter Lucas
- o MINOS Control Room

2. If power is lost at MINOS Service building:

- a. Check that the MINOS generator is on
- b. Be sure to monitor the FIRUS sump alarms. Contact Mike Andrews for additional information

3. As soon as power is restored and controls return:

- a. VACUUM: Recover vacuum. Start pumps up as needed.
- b. WATER: Make sure that LCW and RAW systems are up and running.
- c. **RESTORES:** Do a restore any differences for NuMI crates.

4. When the water systems are recovered and stable:

- a. **POWER SUPPLIES:** Turn on the NuMI power supplies.
- b. **THE HORN:** Verify the horn is on and running. Contact Jim Hylen for expert assistance.

5. When all systems are stable:

- a. **VALIDATE ALARMS!!** Make sure all devices are being monitored.
- b. Perform a NuMI 'expert file' compare.
- c. Make sure all systems are on and running normally.
- d. Try beam!
- e. Verify autotune is enabled and responding properly.

NOTES: Use the back of this page to note specific problems encountered during recovery.

^{*}The MINOS service building is NOT on Kautz Rd substation.